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## ATTORNEY GENERAL RULES ON ORDER OF STATE COMMITTEE

AUSTIN, March 8.—(AP)—The state democratic executive committee went outside its power in adopting a recent resolution binding democrats to the party pledge, and the action will not be legally effective, Attorney General Claude Pollard ruled Thursday in an opinion to Mervel Buckner, chairman of the Dallas county democratic executive committee.

The ruling could not be used "to deprive any democrat, otherwise qualified, of an equal participation in the affairs of his party with every other democrat," Mr. Pollard said. "There is no authority in the state executive committee to prescribe any test or qualifications which might be enforced outside of the state and any test within the state different from those of other states would be an encroachment upon the right of the Texas democrats to participate equally with the democrats of other states in the nominations of the party."

### Resolution Adopted.

By the resolution, adopted at its February 28 meeting here, the executive committee attempted to require that all participants in the democratic precinct, county and state conventions, subscribe by resolution to the democratic pledge "I am a democrat and agree to support the nominees of the party." It was aimed to prevent "bolting" from the party after nominations.

Referring to the amended law under which the committee purported to act, the attorney general said that "it is evident that the power intended to be conferred upon the state executive committee was to proscribe only the qualifications of voters authorized to participate in the primary elections held for the purpose of nominating state, county and district officers, and by its terms could not be construed as authorizing the passage of the resolution involved."

"The power given is to prescribe the qualifications of those who vote or otherwise participate in the activities of the party and no power is granted to prescribe an additional test for those who are qualified voters."

### Purpose of New Law.

The purpose of the existing law empowering the executive committee to prescribe qualifications of party members was to supplant the former law expressly barring negro voting, and which was held unconstitutional by the United States supreme court, Mr. Pollard said. He continued:

"The previous laws of which the present one under consideration is the outgrowth, did not relate to or attempt to regulate the action of precinct or county conventions in selecting delegates to a national convention but dealt with the qualifications only of voters within the party in those elections at which state, county and district officers were nominated, that is to say, elections confined to the boundaries of the state."

**National Election Different.** "When national affairs are to be disposed of, a quite different situation is presented. Under such resolutions as that we are considering, a voter would be denied the full and free participation in the nomination of candidates of his party for national offices by reason of a discriminatory regulation of the state executive committee of his own state."

"I think the legislature did not intend to confer any such powers upon the executive committee. The members of the party in other states may or may not be subjected to the same test as is imposed by this pledge. If not, the democratic voters in Texas, who are in every other way qualified to participate in the national affairs of the party, would be discriminated against."

### No Comment to Make.

GEORGETOWN, March 8.—(AP)—D. W. Wilcox, chairman of the state Democratic executive committee said Thursday that he had no comment for the present on the ruling of the attorney general that the committee exceeded its power in adopting a resolution making the party pledge binding upon participants in precinct, county and state convention.

## SEARCHING SHIP CHANNEL FOR BODY WOMAN SEEN THERE

HOUSTON, March 8.—(AP)—A section of the ship channel here was being searched Thursday for the body of a woman which momentarily came to the surface Wednesday in the wake of a passing tug. Just previously the body of an unidentified middle-aged man had been discovered floating near the same spot. Justice Campbell Overstreet called to hold at inquest, found no marks of violence on it. The man wore shoes purchased from Joe Weisman and company on Marshall, the initial "W" was on his belt buckle and his linen bore the laundry marks "J.W." and "903X."

The woman, the crew of the tug, was well dressed. Her hair was unbobbed.

## NEW MEASURE IS DESIGNED TO MEET SOME OBJECTIONS

## OHIO LAD KILLED MOTHER BECAUSE OF ALLEGED REPRIMAND

WASHINGTON, March 8.—(AP)—The long-awaited McNary-Haugen farm relief bill, modified in an effort to meet objections of President Coolidge but retaining the controversial equalization fee, was reported favorably to the Senate today by Chairman McNary, Oregon, for the agriculture committee.

The report noted that "far-reaching changes" made the bill a "very different measure" from that which passed the last Congress, adding that it is "addressed to the same problem and is based upon the same general principles."

The changes which have been made, it continued, "meet in large part the objections expressed by the president in his message of Feb. 25, 1927, in returning the former measure without his approval. Especially does the present bill provide an almost unlimited opportunity for the administrative body created under it to deal with the problem of agricultural surpluses through loans and advances which those who have opposed the past committee bills urge would be fully adequate to meet the situation."

The bill, which was favorably acted on by the agriculture committee nearly a month ago, would authorize an appropriation of \$250,000,000 to carry out its provisions; the main one of which is that expenses of marketing any surplus crops shall be borne by the producers through the means of the equalization fee levied back on those producers.

## HICKMAN'S OFFER TO PLEAD GUILTY REJECTED BY COURT

## EVANS DENIES KLAN BEING CONTROLLED BY CHURCH MACHINE

LOS ANGELES, Cal., March 8.—(AP)—With his offer to plead guilty to the murder of Dr. Hiram Evans, imperial wizard of the Ku Klux Klan, today denied charges that virtually all state officers of the Klan were "controlled" by the Roman Catholic political machine."

The gesture for a life sentence was made late yesterday after the Hickman defense in the trial of the youth and his still younger accomplice, Welby Hunt, had rested. The offer was made by Hickman's attorney but Judge Elliott Craig promptly ruled he could not accept such a change of plea with conditions of sentence attached but would entitle a straight motion to change plea and allow the court to set the sentence. Hickman's attorney refused to withdraw the reservation and the judge then denied the request.

Deputy District Attorney Clifford Thoms opened the final arguments. He characterized the two young defendants as "the world's two most vicious criminals."

Hickman already is under sentence to the gallows for the slaying of Marion Parker and the prosecution has announced that it would demand the death penalty for the murder of the druggist shortly after leaving the port of Ocracoke today bound for Portland, Ore., ran down a Japanese motor vessel. The smaller boat sank immediately and the entire crew of eight were drowned. The West Cadron returned to Ocracoke.

### REPORT OF THE

### Condition of the

## Corsicana National Bank

Corsicana, Texas

At the Close of Business February 28, 1928.

### RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	\$2,031,952.07
United States Bonds	200,000.00
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	15,000.00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	75,000.00
Other Real Estate Owned	84,575.53
Due from U. S. Treasurer	10,000.00
Cash and Sight Exchange	\$972,330.95
Call Loans (New York)	400,000.00
Bonds (other than U. S. Bonds)	222,268.75
County Warrants	63,496.09
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$4,074,623.39</b>

### LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	\$ 200,000.00
Surplus	300,000.00
Undivided Profits	36,058.13
Circulation	200,000.00
Deposits	\$3,338,565.26
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$4,074,623.39</b>

## World's Oldest Cowboy Observes 98th Birthday

CHIARDRESS, March 8.—(AP)—Reese Barton, 105-year-old slayer of his mother, who was sentenced today to life imprisonment in Ohio penitentiary, attempted to commit suicide by hanging himself in his cell shortly after he was taken from the court room.

Guards overpowered him when they found him fastening his belt around his neck. Sheriff T. C. Hardesty revealed it was the second attempt by the boy to take his life in the last twenty-four hours. A piece of steel which he had taken from his cot sharpened to a fine edge was taken from him last night.

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ST. CLAIRSVILLE, Ohio, March 8.—(AP)—Andy Dyken, 15-year-old slayer of his mother, pleaded guilty to second degree murder today and was sentenced to life imprisonment at hard labor in the Ohio penitentiary.

The evening of Dec. 6, 1927, Dyken shot his mother to death as she stood in the doorway of their farm home, and when his father, Nick Dyken, and a farm hand attempted to wrest the shotgun from him, shot them.

Dyken appeared pleased with the outcome. He said he was looking forward to the automobile ride from St. Clairsville to Columbus, and told newspaper men "all he wanted was good clothes and plenty of cigarettes."

Dyken's father, still suffering from the effects of the two wounds was in the courtroom. Dyken looked at him and remarked: "Well, I suppose the old man's satisfied now."

The shooting which caused his arrest followed a reprimand administered by his parents for not attending school.

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TRAINING CAMPS OPEN.

Newspapers at this time of year  
are certain to carry intimations  
of spring's coming. Some one sees a  
robin. Another notes ducks and  
geese winging their way northward.  
Still another finds a crocus  
venturing to peep out of the  
ground. Each of these is a "sure  
sign" of spring to some people,  
but none of them is convincing  
proof to the baseball fan.

The dyed-in-the-wool baseball  
enthusiast won't believe spring is  
even on the way until spring training  
camps in the South open and  
then not even a blinding blizzard  
could shake their belief. A training  
camp is the last word in signs  
of spring to those who follow the  
great American sport twelve  
months of the year.

Right now there are several mil-  
lion Americans impatiently awaiting  
the opening of the baseball  
season. Had they their way the  
baseball season would be a year long,  
even though half the games  
had to be played in the South. To  
them winter negotiations between  
clubs and players and spring  
training periods are as tantalizing  
as the receding waters to thirsty  
Tantalus.

For a month professional and  
amateur dealers will be as busy  
as a lobbyist picking the teams  
that will win pennants and champion-  
ships and "discovering" new  
players destined to make baseball  
history. That their knowing pro-  
perties always go wrong does not  
temper their ardor.

The reason why baseball is the  
most popular of American sports  
is because it provides something  
year around for its fans to talk  
about. Sometimes it is suspected  
we are more enamored of the  
conversation than of the game.

### TWO GREAT LEADERS GONE.

Two great leaders of fighting  
men in the World War, command-  
ers of the soldiers of two Allied  
nations, who shone most conspicu-  
ously in the latter and deciding  
days of the conflict have passed  
beyond within a month—Marshal  
Alvaro Diaz, of Italy, whose  
death closely followed that of  
Marshall Douglas Haig, who suc-  
ceeded General French in 1916 as  
commander-in-chief of the British  
forces in France.

It was Marshal Diaz who saved  
Italy from destruction through his  
shameful powers of re-organization  
when he restored the morale of the  
Italians after the disaster of Capo-  
te, where the Austro-Germans  
sustained more than 200,000 Italian  
casualties and 700 guns.

Marshal Diaz, like Marshal Haig,  
possessed those individual qual-  
ities of leadership that inspired the  
pride of his men to rally in the  
face of the gravest adversity. The  
names of both will be recorded for-  
ever as geniuses of the type with-  
which no great military pro-  
ject can prosper. Science can de-  
velop mechanisms of wholesale de-  
struction for use in war, but,  
through all time, they will be un-  
smiling without the guidance of  
the military brains of master  
leaders like Haig and Diaz.

The planting and home beauti-  
fication continues in Corsicana and  
the summer months will bring some  
startling and beautiful results. The  
campaign this spring is only the  
beginning of a beautification cam-  
paign that will be increased each  
year.

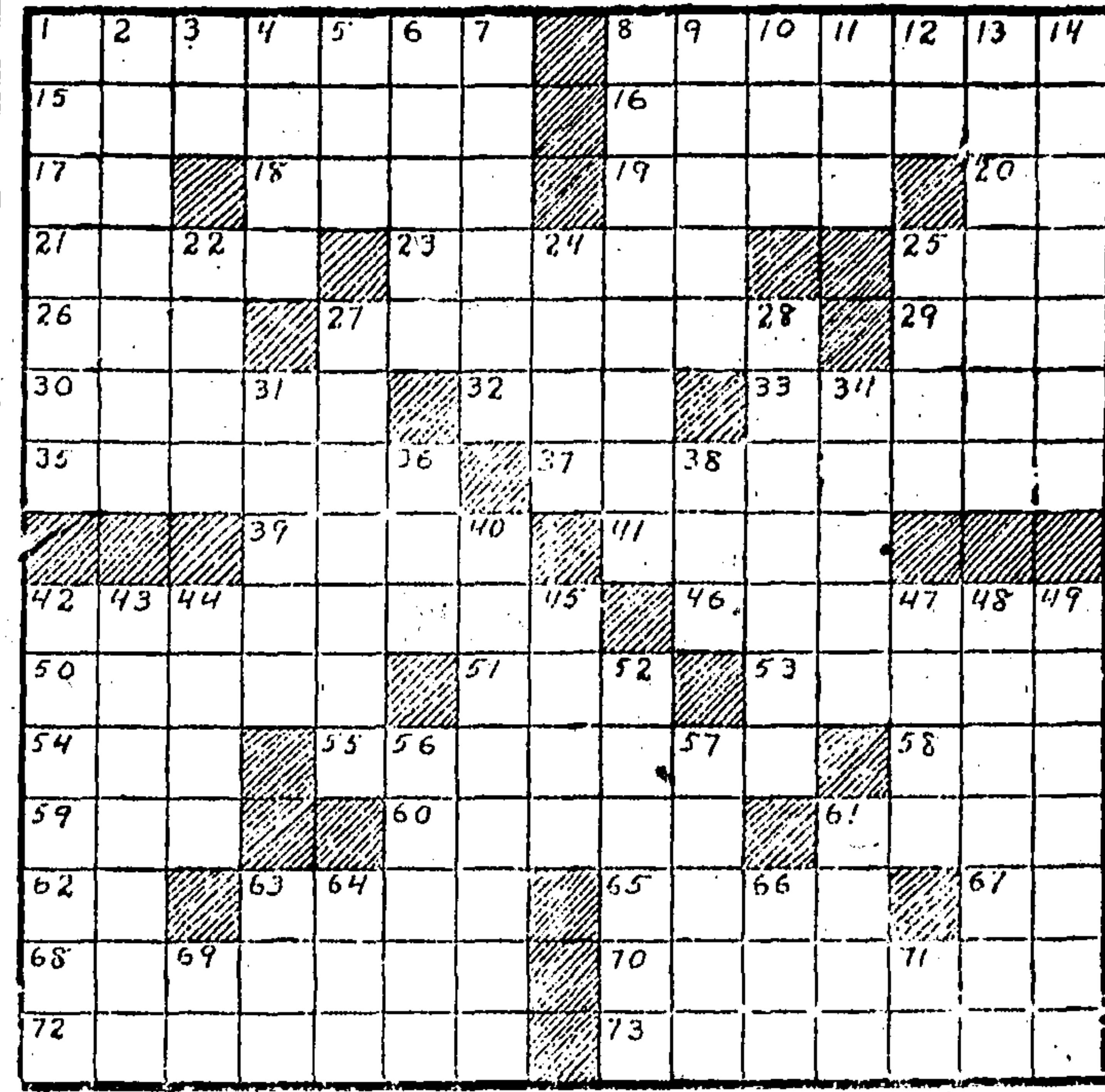
The twenty counties that com-  
prise the Black Land Belt of Tex-  
as should organize a chamber of  
commerce. An organization of this  
nature would prove of untold val-  
ue to the section represented.

Even if the political campaign  
is hot let's keep our tempers  
cool. When the smoke of battle  
wafts away we want no regrets.

With the proper and much need-  
ed extension of the city limits,  
Corsicana would have a popula-  
tion of 25,000 or 30,000.

It is a shame in myself to pollute  
our name for a has-been.

## Today's Cross-Word Puzzle



**HORIZONTAL.**

- 1—marked with parallel lines
- 3—cries out sharply
- 5—window above a door
- 6—pertaining to the planet Uranus
- 7—small state (abbr.)
- 8—back of the neck
- 9—baseball team
- 10—symbol for nickel
- 11—curtices
- 12—corrode
- 13—plant juices
- 14—bird resembling the cuckoo
- 15—debaters
- 16—era
- 17—one who sulks
- 18—stray
- 19—hot
- 20—scoffs
- 21—uncanny
- 22—mature
- 23—trustworthy
- 24—hurled
- 25—legend
- 26—amounts left unpaid
- 27—parts that turn on headed bolts
- 28—parts that turn on headed bolts
- 29—religion (abbr.)
- 30—comes ashore
- 31—burrowing animal
- 32—cleaning implement
- 33—conciliated
- 34—any liqueur flavored
- 35—small hotels
- 36—name
- 37—repeated
- 38—reign
- 39—stray
- 40—hurried
- 41—messenger of peace
- 42—gather
- 43—gather
- 44—gather
- 45—pleasant
- 46—able to
- 47—edible root that produces poison
- 48—improper name
- 49—selected
- 50—Mohammedan ruler
- 51—training proper name
- 52—left unpaid
- 53—large cash withdrawal
- 54—religion (abbr.)
- 55—Sabbath (abbr.)
- 56—wings
- 57—comes ashore
- 58—city of the Krupps
- 59—legend
- 60—vipers
- 61—best
- 62—left unpaid
- 63—vipers
- 64—vipers
- 65—vipers
- 66—playing card
- 67—comparative ending
- 68—assimilated form of in
- 69—assimilated form of in
- 70—assimilated form of in
- 71—assimilated form of in
- 72—assimilated form of in

Herewith is the solution to yesterday's puzzle:

**BAD ITAP PATE  
ONES NATURE  
BITES STORE  
LEVER LENINE  
CRAVE ALARE  
RACNETS ASIAN  
APTE REIMS STRO  
PATE DATELESS  
ELLA REDEALIE  
DECIMO ERGOT  
ELLA LATE SLOOP  
MOMOTES SETINA  
ADORE AAR SEW**

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In this glorious country any boy  
can fight his way upward to suc-  
cess unless his father leaves him  
too much spending money.

The trouble with the dreamers  
is that they can't evolve a system  
to discard capitalism without dig-  
gering the dinner bell.

The clothes that make the wo-  
men are the ones that shake the  
men.

**From March 19th to the 24th, We Will Have  
A Better Farm Implement Week.**

There will be experts to demonstrate these im-  
plements the entire week. I will give away one  
John Deere Riding corn and cotton Planter.

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Inspect our**

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ity. All late designs in writing papers. We  
keep right up to the minute. Also tablets,  
pound papers with envelopes to match—every-  
thing to please in the stationery line.

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All \$1.00 Stationery . . . . . 69c  
All \$1.25 Stationery . . . . . 98c  
All 60c Correspondence Cards . . . . . 48c  
All \$1.00 Correspondence Cards . . . . . 69c

**Inabit Drug Co.**

## PROBE OF COTTON PRICE STATEMENTS OPENED BY SENATE

WASHINGTON, March 7.—(AP)—  
The Mexican laborer is driving the  
American working man out of  
Texas. Charles McKamey, commissioner of labor in the Panhandle  
State, declared today in urging the  
house immigration committee to  
act favorably upon the Box-Harris  
bill to restrict Western Hemisphere  
immigration.

The American common laborer  
is almost a thing of the past in  
Texas, McKamey said, adding that  
the American laborer cannot  
compete with Mexicans because of  
the "deplorable" living conditions  
of the Mexican.

Hubert Brezonik is resting well  
at the Navarro County hospital  
following a major operation Tues-  
day.

### Announcements

**REPRESENTATIVE 58TH DISTRICT.**  
(Composed of Navarro County.)

The Corsicana Semi-Weekly Morning  
Light is authorized to announce A. N.  
Justis as a candidate for Representative  
of the 58th District, composed of Navarro  
County, subject to the action of the Dem-  
ocratic primaries.

**FOR DISTRICT JUDGE.**  
The Corsicana Semi-Weekly Morning  
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Nash as a candidate for the office of  
county judge of Navarro County, subject to  
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**FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY.**  
The Corsicana Semi-Weekly Morning  
Light is authorized to announce L. E.  
Lang with, president of the Lions  
club, took charge of the meeting  
and presented Dean Odie Minatra  
of the Texas Military College, who in  
turn, presented the speaker, as the son of the famous Senator  
Rogers Quarles Mills, famed a  
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of county superintendent of Navarro  
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**FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 3.**  
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**FOR CONSTABLE PRECINCT NO. 1.**  
The Corsicana Semi-Weekly Morning  
Light is authorized to announce Mrs. K.  
Koenig as a candidate for the office  
of constable of Precinct No. 1, Navarro  
County, subject to the action of the Dem-  
ocratic primaries.

**FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 2.**  
The Corsicana Semi-Weekly Morning  
Light is authorized to announce Mrs. K.  
Koenig as a candidate for the office  
of commissioner of Precinct No. 2, Navarro  
County, subject to the action of the Dem-  
ocratic primaries.

**FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 3.**  
The Corsicana Semi-Weekly Morning  
Light is authorized to announce Mrs. K.  
Koenig as a candidate for the office  
of commissioner of Precinct No. 3, Navarro  
County, subject to the action of the Dem-  
ocratic primaries.

**FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 4.**  
The Corsicana Semi-Weekly Morning  
Light is authorized to announce Mrs. K.  
Koenig as a candidate for the office  
of commissioner of Precinct No. 4, Navarro  
County, subject to the action of the Dem-  
ocratic primaries.

**FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 5.**  
The Corsicana Semi-Weekly Morning  
Light is authorized to announce Mrs. K.  
Koenig as a candidate for the office  
of commissioner of Precinct No. 5, Navarro  
County, subject to the action of the Dem-  
ocratic primaries.

**FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 6.**  
The Corsicana Semi-Weekly Morning  
Light is authorized to announce Mrs. K.  
Koenig as a candidate for the office  
of commissioner of Precinct No. 6, Navarro  
County, subject to the action of the Dem-  
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**FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 7.**  
The Corsicana Semi-Weekly Morning  
Light is authorized to announce Mrs. K.  
Koenig as a candidate for the office  
of commissioner of Precinct No. 7, Navarro  
County, subject to the action of the Dem-  
ocratic primaries.

**FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 8.**  
The Corsicana Semi-Weekly Morning  
Light is authorized to announce Mrs. K.  
Koenig as a candidate for the office  
of commissioner of Precinct No. 8, Navarro  
County, subject to the action of the Dem-  
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**FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 9.**  
The Corsicana Semi-Weekly Morning  
Light is authorized to announce Mrs. K.  
Koenig as a candidate for the office  
of commissioner of Precinct No. 9, Navarro  
County, subject to the action of the Dem-  
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**FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 10.**  
The Corsicana Semi-Weekly Morning  
Light is authorized to announce Mrs. K.  
Koenig as a candidate for the office  
of commissioner of Precinct No. 10, Navarro  
County, subject to the action of the Dem-  
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**FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 11.**  
The Corsicana Semi-Weekly Morning  
Light is authorized to announce Mrs. K.  
Koenig as a candidate for the office  
of commissioner of Precinct No. 11, Navarro  
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**FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 12.**  
The Corsicana Semi-Weekly Morning  
Light is authorized to announce Mrs. K.  
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of commissioner of Precinct No. 12, Navarro  
County, subject to the action of the Dem-  
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**FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 13.**  
The Corsicana Semi-Weekly Morning  
Light is authorized to announce Mrs. K.  
Koenig as a candidate for the office  
of commissioner of Precinct No. 13, Navarro  
County, subject to the action of the Dem-  
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**FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 14.**  
The Corsicana Semi-Weekly Morning  
Light is authorized to announce Mrs. K.  
Koenig as a candidate for the office  
of commissioner of Precinct No. 14, Navarro  
County, subject to the action of the Dem-  
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**FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 15.**  
The Corsicana Semi-Weekly Morning  
Light is authorized to announce Mrs. K.  
Koenig as a candidate for the office  
of commissioner of Precinct No. 15, Navarro  
County, subject to the action of the Dem-  
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**FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 16.**  
The Corsicana Semi-Weekly Morning  
Light is authorized to announce Mrs. K.  
Koenig as a candidate for the office  
of commissioner of Precinct No. 16, Navarro  
County, subject to the action of the Dem-  
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**FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 17.**  
The Corsicana Semi

## HOOVER REETING ON ENTERING NAME IN INDIANA RACE

## ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE CALL FOR NOMINATION OF EN- FORCEMENT CANDIDATES

WASHINGTON, March 8.—(AP)—Democratic party finances were out of red ink today for the first time since the presidential campaign of 1924, and approximately \$250,000 was in sight with which to begin initial combat with the republicans for honors in the November elections.

Announcement to this effect by the democratic national committee coincided with word that Secretary Hoover contemplated making a decision today whether he would enter the Indiana primaries against Senator Watson, and with a nationwide call by the Southeastern convention of the Anti-Saloon League for defeat of all candidates who oppose or remain silent on dry law enforcement.

Ryan and Jones Give. The democratic financial report, made to Chairman Clem Shaver by Jesse H. Jones, the national committee's financial director, showed contributions and pledges totaling \$68,500, enough to wipe out the entire indebtedness incurred during the last campaign and leave perhaps a quarter of a million dollars for use in the next.

Of the total contributed and pledged, \$200,000 came from the citizens of Houston to meet expenses of the June convention there, and \$60,000 pledge was donated by Thomas F. Ryan, of New York, and Mr. Jones, who figured prominently in the fight to land the democratic convention for his home city.

Hoover Must Hurry. The republican political spotlight today switched to a little office on the seventh floor of the commerce department. Herbert Hoover, its head, had until midnight to make up his mind whether to enter the Indiana primary lists to contest for that state's 33 delegates to the Kansas City convention.

Supporters of the secretary, who has been reluctant to enter Indiana unless there was evident enough strength to warrant it, were busy in the northern counties of the state yesterday obtaining signatures to petitions to forward here.

Anti-Salooners Speak Out. Closing their convention last night at St. Petersburg, Fla., the Southeastern prohibition convention of the Anti-Saloon League adopted resolutions declaring that if the dry forces of the nation speak "unitedly, promptly and positively, they can prevent the nomination of such men as Butler, Longworth, Wallsworth, Ritchie, Smith and Reed."

The convention called for the nomination by both parties of candidates who, by their utterances, acts and records, are thoroughly committed to the effective enforcement of the Eighteenth amendment and statutory legislation pertaining thereto."

THREE'S SELECTED  
AS WINNERS TRIP  
NATION'S CAPITAL

COLLEGE STATION, March 6.—(AP)—Edith Renau of Shamrock and Maurine McNatt who lives near Greenville, have been announced as winners of free trips to the national 4-H club encampment at Washington next June. Announcement that these girls would represent the 4-H clubs of Texas was made by the extension department, Texas A. & M. college.

The combined earnings of the girls since they began club work amounts to nearly \$3,000. Herman Henderson of Kurten, Brazos county, and Leon Ransom of the McCarty school community, Dawson county, who won the Texas Bankers association's free trip to the national meeting will represent Texas farm club boys at Washington.

## Habeas Corpus Hearing Postponed

GALVESTON, March 8.—(AP)—Hearing on a writ of habeas corpus, filed on behalf of William Curtis, charged with murder in the slaying of O. E. Evans, Texas City policeman, which was scheduled for today was postponed until March 19 by agreement of counsel. Evans was shot to death in the rear of a Texas City drug store on the night of Feb. 1. Curtis was arrested in New York city when the tanker A. C. Bedford, on which he worked as an oiler, arrived, and was indicted by the grand jury. He contends his companions can account for his movements on the night of the killing.

## ELECTION FOR COUNTY SCHOOL TRUSTEES.

### THE STATE OF TEXAS,

### County of Navarro.

To all, whom it may concern:

Notice is hereby given that there

will be an election held on Saturday, the 7th day of April A. D.

1928 in each and every common

school district at the school house

thereof, in Commissioners' Pre-

cincts One and Two, and the polls

in said district will be opened at

eight a. m. and closed at six p. m.

on said date, for the purpose of

electing one County School Trustee

for each of said commissioners

precincts numbers one and two,

and an election shall be held on

the same day in each and every common school district, at the school house thereof, in Navarro

county, for the purpose of electing

one county school trustee at large,

the polls in said districts will be

opened at eight a. m. and closed

at six p. m. on said date.

Said election shall be held at

the same time, at the same place

and by the election officers ap-

pointed by the District School

Board to hold the election for trustee

in the common school dis-

tricts.

Only qualified voters of common

school districts of commissioners

precincts one and two are permitted

to participate in the election

of county school trustees for said

precincts, but all qualified voters

of common school districts of Na-

varro county are permitted to par-

ticipate in the election of the

County School Trustee at large.

The County Judge will receive

from interested persons nominations

for the office of County

School Trustee for commissioner

precinct number and and two for

county school trustee at large.

These nominations must be in the

County Judge's possession one

week before said election. One

week prior to said election

the County Election Board will can-

cease the nominations and prepare

ballots in accordance with the

form of ballot prescribed by

the State Superintendent of Public

Instruction.

Witness my hand and seal of of-

fce this the 5th day of March A. D. 1928.

WARREN HICKS,  
County Judge.

## Cat Plays With Young Rabbits in Harmless Way

ROBERT COOKSEY is telling a "story" that is interesting—if true, and we are sure Robert would not tell it if he was not absolutely sure of its authenticity.

Robert states that a cat came into the greenhouse of the Corsicana Floral and Nursery Company, at the end of West Seventh avenue, a day or two ago, was seen to sniff about the roots of a plant growing therein and then deliberately scratched up several small rabbits of the cotton tail variety. The cat played with the rabbits quite a while and then leisurely walked away without offering to harm them.

This in itself is out of the ordinary, but Robert states that a close watch has failed to reveal the presence of a rabbit about the greenhouse.

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**RESEARCH SECRETARY PIONEER RESIDENT  
METHODIST CHURCH  
GIVES OUT FIGURES**

**SAYS HIGHEST RATE SINCE  
PROHIBITION LOWER THAN  
LOWEST BEFORE**

WASHINGTON, March 6.—(AP)—That prohibition has had a direct effect upon the death rate, "in the very limited area where it has not been permitted to function," is the conclusion of Deets Pickett, research secretary of the Board of Temperance, prohibition and public morals of the Methodist Episcopal church, after a six months' study of the relation of prohibition to mortality statistics.

"The death rate for 1926 is indicated by an index of 88 as compared with the average of 100 for the wet period 1910-16," he says in a prohibition "white book" compiled by the board. "The death rate from alcoholism is only 3.9 for each 100,000 in 1926, which is approximately 75 per cent of the average for the wet period 1910-16.

"In the New England and Middle Atlantic divisions, the 'metropolitan' area, embracing the States of Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut, New York, New Jersey and Pennsylvania, propaganda against the prohibition law and the unfavorable attitude of public officials has had its deadly effect, and the same is true to a less degree of the South Atlantic division of States, which embraces Maryland."

Other conclusions reached by Dr. Pickett included:

"In no year since federal prohibition went into effect has the death rate been as high as the lowest annual rate in any year before prohibition."

"The annual average death rate from all causes during the wet period 1910-16, was 13.81 per thousand, while under prohibition (1920-26) it was only 12.04."

"There was an immediate improvement in the death rate in 1920 when prohibition went into effect. An index of 100, based on the average for the wet period 1910-16, shows 95 for the first year of prohibition, 1920; 81 in 1921; 85 in 1922; 89 in 1923; 85 in both 1924 and 1925, and 88 in 1926."

"The decrease in the death rate was greater in those sections of the country in which had been wet before federal prohibition, the dry sections having already reaped the benefits of State prohibition."

**EUREKA RESIDENT  
PASSED AWAY LATE  
TUES. AFTERNOON**

WAXAHACHIE, March 6.—(Spl.)—The papers in the ouster suit against County Attorney L. J. Woods of Navarro county, transferred to Wayahachie two weeks ago, by Judge Hawkins Scarborough, arrived in the Ellis county district court Monday morning. Mrs. George C. Sweat, district clerk, announced Monday afternoon.

One civil suit and three criminal indictments against Mr. Woods will be tried here, but the setting has not been made. It is believed, however, they will come up this month as the March term began Monday.

**PAPERS IN WOODS  
OUSTER SUIT NOW  
IN WAXAHACHIE**

**OF NAVARRO COUNTY  
IS BURIED TUESDAY**

The body of J. H. Brewster, aged seventy-four years, resident of Pursley and Navarro county practically all of his life, who died in Vernon Monday morning at 7:30 o'clock, following a six-weeks' illness, arrived in Corsicana on the southbound Southern Pacific passenger train at 10:50 o'clock Tuesday morning and interment was made in the Ward cemetery Tuesday at noon. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. J. L. Hines, pastor of the Church of Christ.

He was visiting in Vernon at the time he was taken ill.

Surviving are two sons, Lee Brewster, Tulla, Texas, and W. E. Brewster of Hydro, Oklahoma; several grand children and numerous other relatives.

Palbearers were W. B. Payne, R. L. Pursley, L. Owen, T. J. Owen, John Mathews and C. A. Wright.

**MRS. BERTHA SHAW  
DIED TUESDAY AT  
HER HOME IN FROST**

FROST, Mar. 6.—(Spl.)—Mrs. Bertha Shaw, aged sixty-three years, wife of J. B. Shaw, died here this morning at 4 o'clock and the funeral will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Baptist church with the Rev. N. L. Range, pastor of the church, conducting the services. Burial will be in the Brandon cemetery. She has been a member of the Baptist church for many years.

In addition to her husband Mrs. Shaw is survived by ten children as follows: Jim Shaw, Brandon; Miller Shaw, Mangum, Okla.; Boyd Shaw, Carlsbad, N. M.; Dick Shaw, Teague; Mrs. Bertha High, Abilene; Rufus Shaw, Billie Shaw, Aundi Maud Shaw, Mrs. Mary Bradley, Julia Ellen Shaw, all of Frost.

All of the children were at their mother's bedside when death came.

Mrs. Shaw was prominent in religious and social circles of Frost where she had lived for many years and her large number of friends throughout Navarro county will be genuinely grieved to learn of her death.

**Paint Agent Wanted**

Splendid opportunity is offered by old established company manufacturing complete line of dependable paint products, including fine house paints, with binding guarantee for wearing qualities. Write quick. O. L. Chase Paint Co., Main & Lucas, St. Louis, Mo.

**Pink Boll Worm Body Is  
Ready For Eradication of  
Pest in West Texas Area**

AUSTIN, March 6.—(AP)—The State pink boll worm commission recommended to Governor Moody Tuesday afternoon that no "non-cotton zone" be placed on West Texas counties infested with the pest.

Members, promising to give out a detailed statement later, declined to discuss further the measures advocated except to say that they would be regulatory only.

The commission's meeting with the Governor did not begin until about 12 o'clock.

AUSTIN, Mar. 6.—(AP)—Armed with data gathered in several hearings, the State Pink Boll Worm commission, Tuesday began discussing with Governor Moody methods of eradicating the West Texas worm infestation.

A total of 15 counties are affected, eight of them being among the "new" list. The original seven have been battling the pest for years.

When the session got under way Homer D. Dade, manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, predicted a non-cotton zone would not be recommended. He believed that the commission would decide to establish regulations but not seek to prevent entirely the planting of cotton in the territory under consideration.

Mr. Wade reiterated that belief that a special legislative session ought to be called in the event of a "non-cotton zone, or perhaps even if only a "regulated zone" is called. The latter course, he explained, would not necessitate a session unless the federal government is "too slow" in providing appropriations.

"A fine feature of this convention," Mr. Hunt said, "is the opportunity it offers the farmers and the ginners and others interested in cotton production and ginning to mingle together. They will see and her much that will benefit them, and will learn something of the problems and difficulties of one another."

"It is only by mixing together

this way that we learn what the other fellow is doing or wants to do.

Every ginner and farmer

should plan now to attend this convention.

"They will not only

have a good time, but may make

new acquaintances that will be of

much value in time to come."

"Those attending the convention

will see something else besides

exhibits and hear something else

other than talks," Frank Smith of the entertainment committee said.

"We are going to send them

home happy and satisfied with the

convention, and glad they came.

There will be a good bill of enter-

tainment on both days, with plenty

of amusement for everyone.

Abundance of good food will be

served, too. It is our intention

to make the 18th annual conven-

tion the biggest and best ever held.

And we want every farmer and gin-

ner to attend. Full details of the

entertainment program will be giv-

en out later."

According to Mr. Hunt, 3,500 gin-

ners, farmers and others attended

last year, and 4,000 or more are

expected this year. There will be

reduced fares on all railroads, he

said.

—Lorraine Barry was here to day.

**PARENTS RECEIVE  
INTERESTING NEWS  
FROM THEIR SONS**

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Hippes are just in receipt of two interesting letters. Interesting because written by their sons, Herbert and Thomas.

Herbert is a Baylor medical college, Dallas. He reports substantial progress in the junior year, having made an average of 91-plus in the 14 courses, and his lowest grade being 86. In order to maintain one's self-respect up there, he thinks it very necessary to burn "mid-night oil."

The letters from Thomas bears date of Feb. 2, and was mailed at Agana, Guam. As a member of the Navy he is stationed on that island and is serving in the capacity of radio operator.

He was happy to receive four Christmas boxes and about ten letters on arrival of the transport Henderson, Jan. 30. The box sent by his parents was mailed on or about Nov. 10th. His mother placed it in the middle of that box a quart jar of good old home made peach preserves, of which Thomas is very fond. He said the memory of having received them was most

lasting, for the jar was empty after one or two rounds among his comrades.

W. T. Arnett of Barry was in Corsicana Tuesday.

**Charged Passing  
Of Forged Check**

Amos Willis, a white man, was arrested by the city officers in connection with the alleged passing of a forged instrument to the A. & P. store and turned over to the county officers Wednesday. Complaint for forgery was filed before Judge Sam B. Jordan Wednesday afternoon. It is expected that the matter will be presented to the Navarro county grand jury in session at the present time.

**Aged Man Charged  
With Fighting Wife**

A white man, 72 years old, was arrested on complaint for aggravated assault and lodged in the Navarro county jail Wednesday about noon in connection with an alleged altercation with his wife. At press hour he had not made bond. According to his story he might have slightly struck his wife in wounding off blows, but he said that he did not deliberately strike her.

The complaint was filed in Judge Sam B. Jordan's court.

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**E-S-T-E-S**

**A New Month**

is here. Let this month be an Estes month for every Navarro County family. We feel assured if you buy all your eatables from an Estes Store in March, that you will continue to do so from then on, as you will find our prices right, a full stock of groceries, seeds, fruits, vegetables, meats, etc.

**Saturday Specials**

Don't forget that every Saturday our stores are chuck full of Saturday specials. Values that you don't want to miss as they are friends to your bank account. Three stores in Corsicana all have plenty of parking space.

**E-S-T-E-S**

**Self-Serving Grocery and Market.**  
100 S. Main St. 928 W. 5th Ave.

1503 West 2nd Ave.

**"Mississippi Mud"**

A Good Man is Hard to Find  
My Gal Sal.

Hear these new dance records by Frankie Trumboner and his Orchestra.

They're Certainly HOT!  
Pipe Organ Records That Are  
Especially Good:

Charmaine  
Gypsy Love Song  
When Day is Done.  
Comic Dialogue:

1000 Frogs on a Log.  
The Music Box

Orthophonic Victrolas  
Gulbransen Pianos  
Stewart-Warner Radios.

**T. J. YORK & SON**  
NEW STORE  
Corner Collin & Commerce Streets.

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## INTERESTING ITEMS from NAVARRO COUNTY TOWNS

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Miss Mable Allen who is teaching school in Ennis has been sick several days this week and Miss Bertola Hobbs is substituting for her.

Mrs. Luke Cave was shopping in Ennis, Tuesday.

J. S. and J. G. Dyer were in Dallas.

Mrs. John Fortson of Corsicana spent Tuesday here with her sister, Mrs. Hugh Sloan who is ill with pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Banner and children of Ennis spent Sunday here with Dr. and Mrs. Hugh Sloan.

Dr. J. T. Carter made a business trip to Ennis Tuesday.

Mrs. J. S. Hall, Miss Ruby Hall, Mrs. M. V. Fitzgerald of Rice, and W. R. Hall of Emhouse, returned from Houston Friday, where they had been to attend the funeral of Mrs. Hall's sister, Mrs. D. Reden.

J. D. Langham returned to his home in Houston, Sunday morning, after spending several days here with Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Coulter and other relatives.

J. S. and C. R. Hall made a business trip to Lamesa, Saturday, and returned Monday.

W. R. Smith made a business trip to Dawson the first of the week.

Mrs. Hugh Sloan, who has been ill for the past several days with pneumonia, is much better.

Miss Ida May Miles who is attending North Texas State Teachers college at Denton, spent the weekend with home folks.

Mrs. J. S. Hall, Miss Ruby Hall and Mrs. L. R. Hall went to Fairfield, Sunday after L. R. Hall, who is sick with the flu.

Miss Julia Ellen Shaw, primary teacher in the Rice school, spent the weekend with home folks at Frost.

Mrs. C. R. Hall and little daughter of Corsicana spent the weekend here with relatives.

Jim Gibson, who has been ill for the past several months was taken to San Angelo last week and placed in a private sanitarium. He was accompanied there by B. C. Bartlett and LeRoy Gipson.

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## BLOOMING GROVE

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Mrs. B. Carpenter and Miss LuLu Carpenter of Teague are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jno. S. Tipon.

Jno. S. Tipon was transacting business in Corsicana, Tuesday.

Mrs. B. I. Durham has returned from a business trip to Dallas.

## IMPORTANT DISTRICT P. T. A. CONFERENCE HERE NEXT WEEK

### GENERAL PUBLIC INVITED HEAR PROMINENT LEAD- ERS ON PROGRAMS

The Parent-Teacher association conference to be held in Corsicana March 14, 15, 16, 17, of unusual importance, as it is the last meeting of the old third district. This district was organized in 1910, and since then, the P. T. A. has grown to such an extent that it has become necessary to redistrict the state. Navarro county will be placed in the newly organized 12th district.

It will be of interest to Corsicana citizens to know that Mrs. May Bright Fox was the first president of the third district P. T. A. Mrs. Fox has always identified herself with all movements looking toward educational progress in our county and state, and still retains her interest in Parent-Teacher work, being especially interested in the organization of P. T. A. associations in the rural schools.

Another well known woman who served as one of the first presidents of the third district is Mrs. W. A. Wofford of Dallas, formerly of Athens. Mrs. Wofford is a sister of Mrs. W. F. Love of Corsicana and of Messrs. Lewis and John Carpenter of Dallas.

In addition to being a woman of unusual personal charm, Mrs. Wofford is a speaker of ability and it is a pleasure to announce that she is to be on the program at the coming conference. She will speak on the subject of vital importance to parents, "The Christian Training of Children in the Home."

A most cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend all the sessions of the conference and an especial invitation is given the Mothers' Club, the Methodist P. T. A., and all similar organizations to hear Mrs. Wofford.

## FAT STOCK SHOW READY THROW OPEN GATE ON SATURDAY

FORT WORTH, Mar. 8.—(Spl.)

After months of preparation the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show is ready to throw open its doors and receive the management, bellers, will establish a new attendance record. The thousands of visitors whom the Pageant of Royalty will be the opening event, it will be staged next Friday night, March 9. With the Pageant will be the coronation of the queen, whose identity will not be revealed until she makes her appearance.

Princesses and other members of the royal court will be here from many states and cities.

All exposition gates will be opened Saturday morning, March 10. More than \$500,000 worth of livestock will be found in the pens and stalls.

Exchange Avenue, along Coliseum row, has taken on the appearance of a Western town. Cowboys hats and boots line the sidewalk. The cowboys are here to compete for the thousands of dollars in cash prizes, which will be offered at the Rodeo matinee and night. The first Rodeo will be Saturday afternoon, March 10.

Many models of automobiles will be found in the elaborately decorated automobile show building, which will provide music by an orchestra, matinee and night.

Fort Worth has taken on an attractive appearance for the annual exposition. Flags are flying in the business district and extended out North Main street to the Coliseum.

Railroads are offering a special reduced round-trip railroad rate for the show and, according to reports from passenger agents, many inquiries have been made as to their sale.

## Moody Asserts Not National Candidate

AUSTIN, March 7.—(AP)—Gov. Moody Wednesday issued a statement thanking South Dakota for endorsing him for vice-president but reiterating his statement that he is not a candidate for any office "except for re-election."

The South Dakota state organization decided Tuesday that the ticket should carry Al Smith at its head with Mr. Moody as a running mate.

The Governor's statement: "As I said last night, I didn't know I had been heard of in South Dakota. I appreciate the compliment but feel certain that they had not seen my recent statement in which I said I am a candidate for reelection and have no intention of becoming a candidate for any other office."

## Limestone County School Fair Judges

GROESBECK, Mar. 8.—(Spl.)

Judges for the Limestone county school fair to be held in Groesbeck March 16 and 17 will be selected from teachers and members of the Parent-Teachers' associations of Waco. Mrs. Cora Ferguson, county superintendent, has announced. They include: Mamie Schaper, Netta Smith, Nita Goss, Grace Stone, Mrs. J. W. Harrell, and B. V. Weller.

A long list of prizes has been arranged for the school fair, the value of its kind held here. In addition to schools, Waco, Scotts Hill, rural clubs and communities will exhibit a community and school fair with its respective programs.

## TIPS TO TAXPAYERS

### INCOME TAX IN A NUTSHELL

**WHO?** Single persons who had not income of \$5,000 or more and married couples who had not income of \$5,000 or more must file returns.

**WHEN?** The filing period ends March 15.

**WHERE?** Collector of internal revenue for the district in which the person lives or has his principal place of business.

**WHAT?** Instructions on Form 1040A and 1040 "use the law and regulations." One and one-half per cent normal tax on the first \$4,000 in income tax, the next \$4,000 in income tax, the next \$4,000. Two per cent normal tax on the net income in excess of \$10,000.

For the convenience of those who have not time to file their income tax returns, a deputy collector of internal revenue will be at the Corcoran Chamber of Commerce March 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, assist tax payers in preparing their returns. No charges will be made for this service.

No. 25.

Depreciation is defined as "a reduction in value or decrease in worth or wear of property used in the trade or business including a reasonable allowance for obsolescence."

Depreciation of land, whether improved or unimproved, can not be claimed.

When in the course of years the owner of property has claimed its cost as depreciation, no further claim will be allowed.

## GOVERNOR AND OTHER OFFICIALS PARTY TO SUIT

### BUS LINE WANTS NO INTER- FERENCE WITH OPERATION ON STATE HIGHWAYS

DALLAS, March 8.—(AP)—The governor, state officials, members of the railway commission, and the county or district attorneys and sheriffs of 18 Texas counties, today, were cited to appear before United States circuit court here on March 16 and show cause why they should not be permanently enjoined from interfering with the operation of the Dallas-Los Angeles motor bus line.

The order was issued upon petition of the Hi-Ball Transit company, operating bus service for hire between Dallas and Los Angeles, via El Paso.

The transit company alleges it has compiled with all state laws governing such bus companies, has paid all necessary registration and highway fees, but has not been granted a permit to operate its lines. The Hi-Ball company operates through Dallas, Tarrant, Parker, Palo Pinto, Eastland, Nolan, Callahan, Taylor, Mitchell, Martin, Howard, Midland, Ector, Ward, Reeves, Culberson, Hudspeth and E. Pass, counties in Texas.

Cattle ranges in  
BETTER CONDITION  
RESULT OF RAINS

AUSTIN, March 8.—(AP)—Reinvigorated by recent rains, the cattle range in Texas improved three points in percentage during the month past, and Spring prospects appear "very bright."

H. H. Schutz, federal live stock and crop statistician reported here Thursday.

"I had read on the train that a new oil well had just been brought in near this town and I wanted to inform myself about it. I told the bank president my purpose and asked if he could inform me. He looked at me for ten seconds, then he inquired for identification,"

"Publishes Book.

M. Romer built up his reputation as an editor during his long connection with the Paris *Figaro*.

As a result of his American studies he has just published a book entitled, "Who Will be the Master of Europe or America?" In this work he stressed the marvels absorptive powers of the American nation.

On the train going into Los Angeles, he said,

"What kind of dessert have you?" inquired the customer toward the end of his meal.

"Apple pie, apricot pie, custard and cherry pie," she retorted.

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## What French Visitors to United States Think of Nation and its Peoples

By DAMON C. WOODS

(Editor's Note)—Damon C. Woods, son of Hon. J. H. Woods and wife, garbed in a shabby, dust-covered man, "Evidently a mine laborer," thought M. Romer, "the first American I have seen who has failed." That evening at dinner he saw entering the elegant dining room of the hotel a handsome man clad in evening dress. It was the "miner" of the train. "This little incident impressed me," said the lecturer, "as showing not only the dignity of labor but the dignity of man outside of his labor."

"Paris is the center of the world's fashions, but will it be fifteen years from now, Los Angeles is the center of the world's film industry. Millions of women in America and millions more in other countries get their ideas of style from what the screen stars at Hollywood."

"I saw in Hollywood an avenue twice as broad as the Champs-Elysees and stretching eight miles to the sea. It was bordered with the villas of the cinema celebrities. I was struck by the bizarre architectural creations, evidence of the American taste to which I had formerly attributed houses in modern additions to French cities, but I was also impressed by the immense power and the irresistible enthusiasm of the American youth. Would that we had more youth and less experience."

"Contrary to what he had been led to expect, M. Romer found that the wheat farmers of the Northwest used more horses than machines. The tractor, he concluded, was an article of export. He diagnosed the discontent of the wheat farmers as due to two things—the railroad and the company owned silo—ever present reminders of their servitude to the trusts. They were radicals in politics because they had been damaged; so, perhaps, because the peasants as known in France, was not among them.

The visitor inquired of all classes, from presidents of Federal Reserve banks to sailors at San Diego, their opinion of the French people. The auditors bent forward to catch every word of the expected American verdict upon themselves. The answers were summarized by the speaker as follows:

"Frenchmen Are Brave." "You Frenchmen are a brave people; you hold the record of bravery for the world. You are artistic, the most artistic of all peoples. You are great inventors; you may be, perhaps, too inventive, for if the creator of the locomotive was a benefactor of humanity, the railway company was more useful.

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## COMMITTEE PROBE OF COTTON MARKET MATTER CONTINUES

WASHINGTON, March 8.—(AP) The right of any citizen to call for review of the government cotton classifications "in the public interest," was asserted to a Senate subcommittee today by Arthur W. Palmer, player at the University of Virginia, in a serious condition a a hospital here shortly after 8 o'clock today.

The four children, screaming as their mother's clothing burst into flames, were carried from the burning building by a neighbor. Another neighbor wrapped Mrs. Lee in a blanket and removed her from the house just before it collapsed, but she was dead before first aid could be administered.

The fire is believed to have been caused by the explosion of an oil

## MISSOURI ATTORNEY SERIOUSLY SHOT BY HIS FORMER WIFE

WASHINGTON, March 8.—(AP) Mrs. John Lee, 39, burned to death and four of her small children narrowly escaped when fire destroyed their home here shortly after 8 o'clock today.

The four children, screaming as their mother's clothing burst

## COMMITTEE WILL LAY PLANS START CAMPAIGN FOR FUNDS

### EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE NA- VARO COUNTY TEXAS EXES MEET THURSDAY

A meeting of the executive committee of the Navarro county ex-students of the University of Texas recently appointed for this county in the campaign for \$500,000 by the Ex-Students association of the university for the purpose of matching money from the regents to build a gymnasium-auditorium, woman's building, and student union building to cost \$1,000,000, was called by Chairman Beauford H. Jester for Thursday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock at the Corsicana Chamber of Commerce. This campaign is being waged over the entire state by the ex-students. No quota has been assigned to Navarro county, but an intensive campaign among ex-students and friends of the university will be made. Definite plans for the canvass will be made at the Thursday meeting.

Outlines and plans for the campaign were recently made at a meeting of representative group and at the annual March Second banquet by Harry Cross who is in charge of the campaign.

This is the first time that a huge drive has been sponsored and inaugurated by the ex-students as all former campaigns have started on the campus.

Hon. Thomas Watt Gregory of Houston is the general chairman of this campaign.

Those who are members of the executive committee meeting Thursday afternoon include Beauford H. Jester, chairman; J. L. Halbert and Miss Tillie Frances Young, civic chairman; Warren Hicks, Jack Cunningham, Mrs. Francis B. McKit, Miss Sarah Holman, H. A. Halbert, Mrs. Mose Marks, Bush Wofford, W. A. Lang, Gabe Goldberg, Edward M. Polk, Jr., Wayne R. Howell, F. P. McElwraith, Miss Fannie Beas Hardison, Miss Blanche McKit, Miss Louise Edens, Mrs. Wm. Clarkson, Jr., Miss Helen Robbins, Mrs. J. M. Dyer, Jr., Drs. E. H. Newton, E. P. Norwood, H. B. Jester, J. Wilson David, T. O. Wills and O. C. Bowmer.

### BEAUTIFUL ASSORTMENT OF DECORATED WOOD CANDLES. —City Book Store.

KANSAS BANKER DIES.  
ABILENE, Kas., March 8. (AP)—George A. Rogers, 66, for 30 years president of the Abilene National bank and former president of the Kansas Bankers' association, died today.

“THE CHEERFUL CHERUB.”  
Rebecca McCammon, vertex of sunshiny philosophy.—City Book Store.

EASEL PICTURE FRAMES, EN-  
TIRE STOCK ONE-HALF PRICE.  
—City Book Store.

### Court House

Items of Interest From Tem-  
ple of Justice.

#### District Court.

The grand jury was still in session Thursday morning. The court was scheduled to hear a civil case Thursday.

#### Assignments.

E. B. Germany and Henry & Smith, Inc., to Sun Oil company, 40 acres John Taylor league, \$4,000.

#### Mineral Deeds.

W. A. Coleman et ux to J. W. Lichlyter, 1-128 interest in 55.6 acres Joseph Bragg survey and 65 acres J. D. Matthews survey, \$10.

Charter No. 3645.

Report of condition of the

### Corsicana National Bank

at Corsicana in the state of Texas, at the close of business on February 28th, 1928.

#### RESOURCES

Loans and discounts, including rediscounts, acceptances of other banks and foreign bills of exchange or drafts sold with endorsement of this bank (except those shown in Item 1-b) \$2,491,584.87

Total loans \$2,491,584.87

Overdrafts, unsecured 3,863.29

U. S. Government securities owned:

Deposited to secure circulation (U. S. bonds par value) \$200,000.00

Total \$200,000.00

Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc., owned 237,285.75

Banking house, \$50,000.00; Furniture and fixtures \$25,000.00

Real estate owned other than banking house 84,575.53

Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank 210,826.98

Items with Federal Reserve Bank in process of collection 23,209.57

Cash in vault and amount due from national banks 682,635.14

Amount due from State banks, bankers and trust companies in the United States (other than included in Items 8, 9, and 10) 67,923.85

Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank (other than Item 12) 5,085.80

Total of Items 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13 \$758,854.36

Miscellaneous cash items 2,649.63

Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer 10,000.00

Total \$4,074,623.39

#### LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in \$200,000.00

Surplus fund 300,000.00

Undivided profits 54,979.96

Less current expenses paid 35,258.13

Reserved for taxes, interest, etc., accrued 800.00

Circulating notes outstanding 200,000.00

Amount due to national banks 70,206.07

Amount due to State banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States 10,394.41

Cashier's checks outstanding 40,176.94

Total of Items 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, and 29 \$120,777.42

Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days):

Individual deposits subject to check 2,696,787.43

Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed) 145,090.27

Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve, Items 30, 31, 32, 33, and 34 \$2,841,886.70

Time deposits subject to Reserve (payable after 30 days or subject to 30 days or more notice, and postal savings):

Savings deposits (including time certificates of deposit other than for money borrowed) 375,901.14

Total of time deposits subject to Reserve Items 35, 36, 37, and 38 \$375,901.14

Total \$4,074,623.39

State of Texas, County of Navarro, ss:

I, Sam H. Slay, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

SAM H. SLAY, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of March, 1928.

(Seal) E. J. HALL, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest: H. G. JOHNSTON, CHAS. H. DELAFOSSE, C. R. TERRY, R. L. WHEELOCK, R. D. FLEMING, J. B. FORTSON, JOHN T. FORTSON, B. TINKLE, A. G. ELLIOTT, A. H. KERR, H. R. STROUBIE, Directors.

#### RECAPITULATION

##### Resources

Loans and Discounts \$2,031,952.07

United States Bonds 200,000.00

Stock in Federal Reserve Bank 15,000.00

Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures 75,000.00

Other Real Estate Owned 84,575.53

Due from U. S. Treasurer 10,000.00

Cash and Sight Exchange 972,330.95

Call Loans (New York) 400,000.00

Bonds (other than U. S. Bonds) 222,268.75

County Warrants 63,496.09—1,658,095.79

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**SUPERINTENDENT  
NAMED FOR HOME OF  
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**GREENVILLE MAN SUCCEEDS  
G. W. HAWKINS, WHO  
RESIGNED**

O. A. Bateman of Greenville was elected superintendent of the I. O. O. F. Widows' and Orphans' home here to succeed George W. Hawkins, whose resignation has been turned in and accepted effective June 1. W. W. Clopton of Corsicana, member of the board of trustees of the home stated here Tuesday morning: This action was taken at a meeting of the trustees held in Dallas Monday.

The resignation of Mr. Hawkins as superintendent and Mrs. Hawkins as matron were made at a meeting of the trustees held here Friday but not made public until Monday. Mrs. Bateman was elected matron.

C. P. Masters of Pecan Gap was elected trustee to fill the unexpired term of C. E. Malone, deceased, who died during February.

**Board Meets in Dallas**

O. A. Bateman of Greenville was appointed superintendent of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows Orphans' home effective in June, at Corsicana by the board of directors of the home, which met in Dallas Monday and accepted the resignation of G. W. Hawkins. Mrs. Bateman will become matron.

Mr. Bateman is tax collector of Hunt county and a member of the Fred Ende Lodge No. 87, I. O. O. F. at Greenville. He joined the order in 1911.

Mr. Hawkins became superintendent of the home in January of 1926 and carried out an extensive improvement program. He served nine years on the board of the home and two years as grand master of the Grand Lodge of Texas.

C. P. Masters of Pecan Gap was elected to the board of directors to succeed the late C. E. Malone of Crystal City. S. B. Spalding of Waxahachie is chairman of the board.

**COURTHOUSE NEWS.**

**District Court.**  
The case styled Dickey Haley et al. vs. Jeff D. Jones, et al., to cancel deed, was still on trial in the Thirteenth Judicial District court Tuesday. The case started Monday. The case is being tried before Judge Hawkins Scarborough.

The jury for the week was excused Monday until Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock.

The grand jury was still in session Tuesday morning.

**District Clerk's Office.**  
The following cases were filed:  
Trinity Farm Company vs. W. B. Taylor, et al., to set aside a conveyance on Block 161, Lots 1 and 2, Block 205; Block 162, and Lots 3 and 4, Block 205; Corsicana; Willie Young vs. George Young, divorce; W. D. Daughtry vs. Emy Daughtry, divorce.

**County Court.**  
The appearance docket in the county court was called Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock by Warren Hicks, county judge.

**Marriage-License.**  
W. P. Anderson and Delta Reese.

**Mineral Deed.**  
J. W. Lichlyter to J. N. Wheelock, 1/128th interest in 55.6 acres of the Joseph Bragg and 65 acres of the W. D. Matthews survey, \$10, and other considerations.

**Warranty Deed.**  
J. B. Lawrence, et al., to Mrs. Ruby Akers Davis, 40 acres of the James Meredith survey, \$400, and other considerations.

**Oil and Gas Leases.**  
J. J. Smith, et al., to Simms Oil Company, 50 acres of the J. C. Hankins survey, \$300.

**Sheriff's Office.**  
Carl Clark and J. R. Sutherland, white boys arrested in Waco Saturday morning in connection with the theft of the automobile of W. E. Smith here Friday night, were brought to the Navarro county jail Monday night from Waco by Sheriff W. T. Wilson and Deputy Sheriff J. M. Westbrooks.

A Mexican was arrested for drunkenness Monday night by Sheriff Wilson and Deputy Sheriff Westbrooks.

**Transfer of Lease.**  
One Mexican pleaded guilty to drunkenness in Judge W. W. Clopton's court Tuesday morning.

**STATE SCHOOL HEAD  
SAYS TEXAS SCHOOLS  
ARE RANKING HIGH**

**HIGHWAY LOCATION  
NOT YET DEFINITELY  
DECIDED IN SOUTH**

AUSTIN. March 6.—(AP)—City school systems of Texas owe their advanced stages of development largely to the fact that the superintendents are able to attend the conventions of the National Education Association and its branches, according to State School Superintendent S. M. N. Marrs.

He and Assistant Supt. L. W. Rogers had just returned from the convention of the department of superintendents of the Association at Boston, which was attended by 150 Texas school officials.

Supt. Marrs said he hopes to see provision made soon for county superintendents to travel and study rural school administration methods and problems in other states.

The city superintendents pick up valuable ideas at the conventions and put them in practice in Texas, he said, with the result that this state's city school systems rank among the best.

**QUARTERLY MEETING  
OF NAVARRO COUNTY  
BAR ASSOCIATION**

The regular quarterly meeting of the Navarro County Bar Association will be held at the Navarro Hotel Friday night at 7:30, it was announced Wednesday morning by Beauford H. Jester, president.

No set program has been arranged but it is planned to have the meeting a social one after some important business has been attended to.

All members who expect to attend are requested to notify W. W. Harris, secretary, or Warren Hicks, treasurer, in order that reservations can be made.

Mr. Jester stated that an excellent menu would be prepared for the banquet.

**For Sale**

Pedigreed Rowden and Kasch cotton seed at \$2.25; also have some first and second year Kasch and Mehane for 75c per bushel.

**HOPKINS GIN COMPANY.**

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Richard Mays returned Tuesday morning from Waco.

most practical highway facilities for the local business interests.

The question of detailed location is left to the determination of the State highway department. It

would seem highly desirable therefor for the citizens of Navarro county to bring these questions of location to the attention of the State highway department.

**Nearly Inch of Rain  
Fell Over County**

The rainfall in Corsicana Tuesday and Tuesday night amounted to .95 of an inch, according to the government gauge. The rain was general over the county and stopped farm work for several days.

S. H. Jack went to Athens Tuesday morning on a business trip.

**Pie Supper Friday  
Night Long Prairie**

The Long Prairie Parent Teacher Association is giving a pie supper Friday night, March 9th, to raise money for the school. It will be given at the schoolhouse, five miles south of Keren. In addition to the pies, there will be a large box of candy for the prettiest girl, a cake given away, and "fishing" for the little folks. A good time is expected, and a cordial invitation extended to all.

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Specials for Saturday and Monday

Bananas, Big Fat ones and plenty of them, per pound . . . . . 6c

Golden Anchor Red Salmon  
No. 1 Tall Can . . . . . 25c

Gallon can Blue Rabbit Syrup . . . . . 64c

Palmolive Soap, 3 bars . . . . . 20c

Arbuckles Coffee, 1 lb. pkg. . . . . 33c

Gold Top Malt Syrup, big can . . . . . 45c

Baker's Cocoa, 1-5 lb. pkg. . . . . 5c

Aunt Jemima Pancake Flour . . . . . 11c

All Gold Sliced Pineapple, 2 for . . . . . 25c  
(13-ounce can)

Peas, No. 2 can Early June . . . . . 10c

Peas, No. 2 can sifted . . . . . 12c

Peas, No. 2 can, Extra sifted . . . . . 14c  
(Cheaper than Cornbread)

Men's Dress Hats, \$5.00 values . . . . . 1.69

Men's Dress Hats, \$6.00 values . . . . . 1.98

Men's Dress Caps, \$2.50 values . . . . . 98c

Four-prong Spading Forks, each . . . . . 85c

Royal Baking Powder, 12-oz. can . . . . . 35c

Domestic Sardines . . . . . 4c

Gallon can Fancy Corn . . . . . 49c

French's Bird Seed . . . . . 10c

Puffed Rice, 2 pkgs. . . . . 25c

Big Juicy Dill Pickles, 2 for . . . . . 5c

Table Salt, 2 pkgs. . . . . 5c

1 lot Shoe Polish paste or liquid . . . . . 5c

Pure Pork Sausage, per pound . . . . . 15c

Hamburger Meat, per pound . . . . . 15c

Bulk Compound, per pound . . . . . 12c  
Bring your bucket.

Men's All Leather Work Shoes Triple  
stitched, guaranteed, pair . . . . . \$3.25

Wire Nails, per pound . . . . . 4c

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## COUNTY NEWS

## RICHLAND

RICHLAND, March 7.—(Spl.)—Miss Effie Wrenshaw and Mr. Watt Harris were married in Streetman Saturday afternoon, and left Sunday at noon for Houston, their future home.

Dr. J. H. Edgar returned from Marlin last week.

Abraham Hammon returned home from the hospital last week, where he had been for some time, suffering from injuries received in the oil field.

Walter McDaniel and Dink White were in Dallas one day last week.

There were several games of basketball played here last week.

Dr. J. B. Brown returned to Houston Wednesday, after spending several days with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Brown.

Miss Thelma McAfee was called to the bedside of her brother, who was seriously ill in Austin and who died soon after her arrival.

We are sorry to report Floyd Allred down with pneumonia.

J. W. Garland and son, Hugh, were confined to their bed last week with an attack of flu.

Mrs. Jack McLendon and son, Coy Wayne, and Lottie Knight were shopping in Corsicana Tuesday.

Mrs. Bertha Lausford and mother, Mrs. Harris, and Mrs. Jim Lanceford were in Corsicana Wednesday.

Mrs. E. S. Allen visited in Ennis last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Knotts and little daughter, Flora Nell, visited their sister-in-law, Mrs. Bertha Knotts, and family Sunday. She also visited her cousin, Mrs. Garland, and family.

Mrs. Ida Knight gave the young people a party Saturday night. All reported a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Richardson and family visited her mother, Mrs. Viola Brown of Thornton Sunday, who is sick with flu.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Richardson and family, and their nephew, Delbert Pace, visited R. B. Richardson of Delia Sunday.

Lon Shepperd visited his brother, Ed Shepperd of Richland Sunday afternoon.

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Mae McBride visited Jessie Hays Sunday.

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Frank Hays motored to Corsicana Saturday on business.

Jessie Hays spent Saturday night with her sister, Mrs. J. T. Crocker and attended the theatre.

R. A. Pullin was in Richland Monday on business.

Mrs. A. Chunn, formerly of Richland, died in Corpus Christi March 5 and was buried in Richland Wednesday.

## New Hats - Not of Felt

Looking large in the spring horizon are new hats, not of felt! Exclusive imported straws — ballinbunts, Sisols, banus and bangkoks, fascinating in both name and texture — make delightful hats that rival felts in both chic and flattery. And the color may be of your own choosing.

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No. 2 1-2 can Libby's Apple Butter	23c
100 Good Cabbage Plants	29c
A light Broom, buy one	34c
3 No. 2 cans Corn, only	35c
1000 Paper Napkins, only	50c
Large can Blue Karo Syrup	59c
Good Pop-corn for popping, pound	10c
25 bars P and G Soap, Special	95c

Friday and Saturday

Bob Miller's Cash Grocery

## BARRY

BARRY, Mar. 8.—(Spl.)—Barry enjoyed quite a treat Sunday evening, when the Forrester B. Y. P. U. entertained at the Baptist church with a tableau, "The Challenge of the Cross." The program which was well rendered was instructive and full of the gospel from beginning to the end.

Miss Opal Thornton of Boyce drove over Sunday afternoon with some friends from Kereens to visit her sister, Miss Rubie Thornton.

Miss Hull Ragsdale of Dallas, was here Saturday and Sunday to visit her mother, who has been quite sick, but who is improving at present writing.

Wedding bells were again ringing in this community Saturday evening, when Miss Ola McDonald was married to Mr. Peterson of Dallas. Rev. J. B. Prather performed the ceremony at the home of the bride's parents at seven o'clock. Only a few witnesses were present. The groom is a stranger in our midst, but the bride is well known and loved by a host of friends who extend many pleasant wishes for their future. They left Sunday afternoon for their home in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Bowell and children drove over to Kereens Sunday afternoon for a short visit with relatives.

Quite a few from here attended the revival services at the First Methodist church at Corsicana both the morning and evening Sunday.

Alton Castellaw of Corsicana, spent Sunday with home folks.

Mrs. Michael and little daughter, Charlotte, returned to their home Sunday evening after a pleasant visit with their parents.

Rev. and Mrs. Prather and little daughter, Milda, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Watson Saturday night.

Mrs. Ida Taylor returned Monday afternoon from a week's visit with friends at Embree.

Mrs. George Watson visited relatives in Corsicana Monday afternoon.

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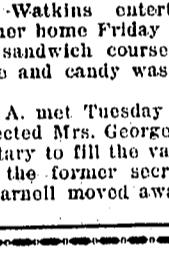
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## DAWSON

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Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Chapman and little daughter, returned to their home in Houston Thursday, after a few days' visit here. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Chapman's mother, Mrs. J. L. Bell.

Mrs. Senia Faughn and little son, W. H., and Mrs. Bert Wafer of Corsicana, spent Thursday here with Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Dawson.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Pierce, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Weathers, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Moore, Mrs. Dave Berry and Mrs. W. H. Fullerton were in Chas. M. Calm, Sunday to attend a lecture given by C. R. Nichols, who has just returned from the Holy Land.

J. M. Tanner spent Wednesday in Matlock attending business.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Newton were Waxahachie visitors Sunday.

Mrs. Laura Cooper spent last week-end in Coolidge with her parents.

Miss Mary Berry of Hillsboro, came in Monday for a visit with Miss Francis Schwartz.

Mr. Willie Walters, son of Fort Worth spent Sunday here with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bell.

B. T. Goodwin, who has been in a Temple sanitary several weeks, is reported recovering nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Weathers left Tuesday for a visit with relatives in Minden.

Miss Genie Dawson spent Friday in Corsicana.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bell of Corsicana, visited Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Butler, Sunday.

Mrs. Major Davis, Mrs. L. W. Edwards, Mrs. Clide Sims and Mrs. J. M. Beasley, spent Sunday in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Dawson were Waco visitors Tuesday.

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## DISTRICT ROTARY CONFERENCE PLANS BEING WORKED OUT

ATTENDANCE OF AT LEAST ONE THOUSAND VISITORS EXPECTED HERE

Plans for the district conference features, including the entertainment features, addresses, business sessions, luncheons and other events. The conference is expected to cost approximately \$4,000, and it is being defrayed by the registration fees. The registration fee is \$5.

President Jester stated that

some of the most able speakers in

Rotary are being arranged for the

conference and Governor Henry

Stillwell of Texarkana will be in

Corsicana next Wednesday to

meet with the local club. It is

expected that some of the plans

for the program will be disclosed

during his visit to Corsicana.

## Special Section.

The Daily Sun is preparing to

issue a special section in connec-

tion with this conference, includ-

ing the pictures of all members of

the local club and prominent Ro-

totarians not only of this district

but of Rotary International.

Committees have been appoint-

ed for the caring of the various

details and meetings are held each

Monday by the chairman of the

various committees with the offi-

cials of the club planning for the

various phases of the approaching

conference.

Representatives from the local

clubs have visited the majority of

the clubs of the district to arouse

interest and indications are that

this will be the biggest affair ever

held in this district. The remain-

der of the clubs are to be visited.

Next Wednesday a delegation

of local Rotarians will go to Dal-

las to meet with the Dallas club.

Wednesday will be "Corsicana Ro-

totary Club Day" in Dallas. The

delegation's spokesman will be W.

A. Tarver.

A number of the clubs within

the district are planning to send

100 per cent representation and all

will be represented by several del-

egates. Longview was the first

club to register 100 per cent.

Mexico is planning to attend 100 per

cent and those in charge of the

registration are expecting more

clubs to increase the number of

visitors. The members of the

three clubs and other citizens can

register for the conference and

will